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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of William Schwartz;
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- (c) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted; and

An Assignment to Sun Microsystems, Inc. is being filed under separate cover.

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Respectfully submitted,

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